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PATENT

Attorney Docket No. SIC-04-033

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of:) Examiner: Unassigned
TATSUYA KAWAKAMI) Art Unit: 3682
Application No.: 10/711,702)
Filed: September 28, 2004)
For: BICYCLE SHIFT DEVICE HAVING A) RESPONSE TO NOTICE TO FILE
LINEARLY SLIDING SHIFT LEVER) MISSING PARTS OF APPLICATION
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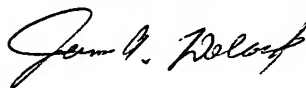
Commissioner:

Pursuant to the Notice to File Missing Parts of Application - Filing Date Granted dated October 21, 2004, enclosed are the following to be made of record in the above-identified application:

- 1) Return copy of Notice to File Missing Parts of Application;
- 2) executed Declaration;
- 3) Power of Attorney by Assignee; and
- 4) Certificate Under 37 CFR 3.73(b) with attached copy of assignment(s).

Form PTO-2038 authorizing credit card payment for the amount of \$130.00 to cover the Surcharge is enclosed. This Transmittal Letter is submitted in duplicate.

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NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION

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*Filing Date Granted*Items Required To Avoid Abandonment:

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given **TWO MONTHS** from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

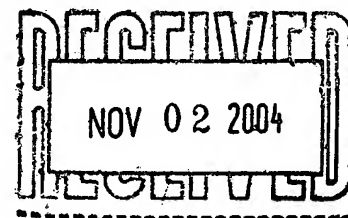
- The oath or declaration is missing.
A properly signed oath or declaration in compliance with 37 CFR 1.63, identifying the application by the above Application Number and Filing Date, is required.
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(e) of \$130 for a non-small entity, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.

SUMMARY OF FEES DUE:

Total additional fee(s) required for this application is **\$130** for a Large Entity

- **\$130** Late oath or declaration Surcharge.

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